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Overview

National Museum
of Roller Skating



Four man roller hockey team sponsored by McCrory Department Stores at Lowe's Rink in Memphis, Tennessee, 1929. (1983.101.36)

Dear Members,
 The month of May was a whirlwind of activity with the museum taking part in the Roller Skating Association-International's annual convention and tradeshow. The museum had a booth in the tradeshow and held our annual fundraiser. The raffle was a huge success and the museum would like to extend our appreciation and gratitude to all of the individuals who participated in this year's raffle. Eight of the winners were present at the dinner to pick up their cash prizes including an ecstatic Winnie Young who won \$1,000. Lucky museum member, Jeffery Duensing won the \$5,000 grand prize. Please see pages 3 through 6 for complete details on the raffle. During the tradeshow, I met many individuals, including some of the museum's members. It was a very enjoyable experience and I am looking forward to next year's convention in Nashville, Tennessee.

The museum has a new volunteer. Ashley Singer, a ninth grade student, has been volunteering at the museum since the spring. She will continue volunteering through the summer working on projects in the archives and with the collections. Ashley is a bubbly teenager and a welcome addition to the museum.

The National Artistic and Indoor Speed Championships will take place here in Lincoln, Nebraska the last week of July and the first two weeks of August. In conjunction with the competitions, the museum will have extended hours on the weekends. The museum will be open Saturdays July 29, August 5 and 12 from

12 noon to 4 pm and on Sundays July 30, August 6 and 13 from 1 pm to 5 pm. Please come see the museum this summer and shop the museum store.

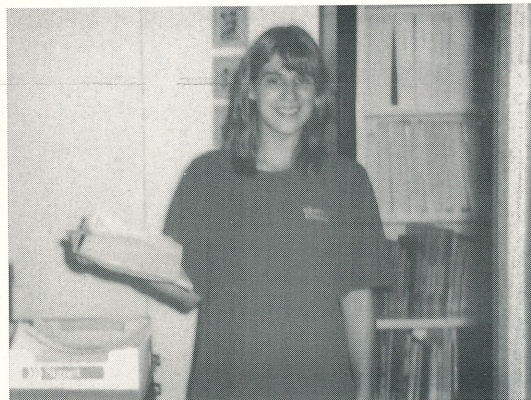
A new t-shirt has been added to the merchandise offered from the museum's store. The t-shirt is indigo blue with the museum's logo in light blue in the center. It is a very attractive shirt and has been popular with visitors. The t-shirt comes in adult sizes medium to extra large and retails for \$15. Remember, as museum members, you receive 10% off of any purchases from the store. Call today to purchase the newest item from the museum's store.

Thanks again to all of the members for your continued support of the museum. I hope to see all of you visiting soon.

Sincerely,

Deborah L. Wallis

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 Director and Curator



Ashley Singer, museum volunteer.

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The National Museum of Roller Skating's Annual Raffle drawing took place May 17 during the RSA-International's Presidential Dinner in Las Vegas, Nevada. The museum sold 580 tickets, 74 more tickets than last year, and gave away \$10,000 in cash prizes. For the fourth straight year in a row, Bob Bollinger sold the most tickets and the claimed the top ticket seller award. Listed below are the 2000 Raffle Winners.

- 7. \$100 Joe Innamorato, JBL Trinity
- 8. \$100 Jo Donna Neifert
- 9. \$100 Frank Torries & Beverly Thibodeaux
- 10. \$100 Frank Cernik
- 11. \$100 JBL Trinity
- 12. \$100 Arthur Durand
- 13. \$100 Jerry Shores
- 14. \$100 Catherine Fernandes
- 15. \$100 Debbie Lewis
- 16. \$250 Scott Ottaway
- 17. \$250 James Walker
- 18. \$250 Gary Englund
- 19. \$250 Dennis Pickard
- 20. \$500 Joseph J. Nazzaro III
- 21. \$500 Gary Phillips
- 22. \$500 Jim Hafner
- 23. \$1,000 Winnie Young
- 24. \$5,000 Jeffery Duensing

- | <u>Amount</u> | <u>Name</u> |
|---------------|------------------------|
| 1. \$100 | Bruce Engbrechet |
| 2. \$100 | Brian Whitson |
| 3. \$100 | Edward Fuzzy Bossart |
| 4. \$100 | Susan Means |
| 5. \$100 | Douglas Saint |
| 6. \$100 | Cory and Becky Hundley |



Museum Board members, Bert Anselmi, Charlotte Groves and Mills Lynn waiting for the raffle drawing to start.

The museum would like to thank all of the individuals who participated in this year's raffle especially those individuals that sold tickets.

Rock Allman, Annelle Anderson, Bert Anselmi, Kevin Baker, Bob Bollinger, Danny Brown, John Chrien, Marvin Facher, Kathy

Finley, Chester Fried, Charlotte Groves, Bill Johnson, Bill Kelly, Nellie Lillie, Mills Lynn, Jim McMahan, Bill McDonald, Chuck McDonough, George Pickard, Art Snowden, Budd Van Roekel, Charlie Wahlig, Doug Warren and Ed Young.

2000 Raffle Results

The 2000 Raffle was a success due to all the individuals and businesses listed below that purchased tickets. The National Museum of Roller Skating greatly appreciates their support. The number besides their name indicates the number of tickets purchased if it was more than one.

2nd Generation (Shawn, Nellie, Doug, David, Shawn)
 Dean Abeln
 Bill and Teri Acklus (2)
 Robert Aliano
 Connie Allen
 America on Wheels Real Estate(2)
 Annelle Anderson
 Cindy Anderson (4)
 Robert Anderson
 Rodger Anderson
 Steve Anderson
 Kurt Anselmi
 Lynn Anselmi (2)
 Aranson Grandchildren
 Anthony Ardoin
 Carla Ardoin
 Louis Armbruster
 Arrow
 Shanna Arsenault
 Paul Artt
 Bob Babcock
 Judy Bacon
 Carla Baker
 Kevin Baker
 John Bax
 Peggy Beeghly (2)
 Ann Behan
 Laura Benson
 Luther Bertstein
 June Bickmeyer
 Larry Billings
 John Bing
 Kay Bing
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 Gigi Boyd
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 David Breen
 Jerry Breen
 Douglas Breniser
 Clay Briggs
 Danny Brown
 Kim Brown
 L.R. Brown
 Cynthia Brunker
 Scott Buchner
 Les Buell
 Doug Buksuh
 Keith Burchell
 Jodie Burden
 M. Burgermeister
 Enid Busser
 Carol Caldwell (2)
 Warren Campagna
 Mary Margaret Campbell
 Dominic Cangelosi
 S. Cantor
 Ava Carlson
 Rick Carson
 Milton and Michele Carter
 Bob Castro
 Gary Castro (2)
 Cavalier Family Skating Centers,
 USA
 Frank Cernik
 Kevin Cernik (2)
 Phyllis Cernik
 Scott Cernik
 Joe Champa
 Champa Kids
 Champ's Rollerdrome
 Ray Chaput
 David Chrien
 Diana Chrien
 Lauren Chrien
 Taylor Chrien
 Wayne Clear
 Shawn Clifton
 Bonnie Coffin (2)
 Chris Cohen
 Evelyn Conrad
 Charlene Conway
 Joe Cossetti
 Jeff and Ava Couey (2)
 Leita Couey (3)
 Robert Cramer
 John Creten
 John Creton (4)

Fred Curatolo (2)
 Betty Ann Danna
 Joe Danna
 Joey Danna
 Jon and Leita Deeg
 Kathi Deitz
 Kenneth Derrick
 Robert Dill (2)
 Theresa Dilling
 Donald Dillion
 Dimond Skateland
 Anthony Dipietro
 Ed Dodge (2)
 Sue and Virgil Dooley
 Doug, Nellie and Dave
 Michael Dorak
 Dennis Dria
 Matthew Dria
 Myra Dria
 Stephen Dria
 Jeffery Duensing
 Aaron Dukes
 Arthur Durand (2)
 Jean Durney
 John Easton
 Kim & Connie Eisenzimmer
 Jon Ellerbroek
 Jim Emery
 Marti Emery
 Patty Emery
 Randy Emery
 Bruce Engbrecht
 Howard Engle (2)
 Eric and Barbara Englund
 Gary Englund (2)
 Todd Erickson
 Budd Eversman
 Lois Facher
 Facher Grandchildren
 Virginia Fehr
 Catherine Fernandes (2)
 Anthony Ferraro
 Mary Sue Ferraro
 Kathy Ferreira
 Rodney Fink
 Kathy Finley (2)
 Michael Finley
 Beth Firchow
 David Fleming
 Shauna and Ryan Fleming
 Christie Foley
 Michael Foley
 Mike and Christie Foley (2)
 Carl Forsyth
 David Frank

Chester Fried
Dave Fromm
Heyer and Fudge
Bob Fuhst
Fun Spot Arena
Mark Gammon
Ron Gammon
Paul Gamsby
Dane Gayaway
David Geiger
Gerald Gillis
Merle Gillis
Robert Golovich
Greg and Yumi Goody
Bill and Jan Grice
Charlotte Groves (11)
Curtis Groves
Judy Groves Clear
Dianne Groves Werner
John and Diane Gustafson
Jim Hafner
Paul Hakim (2)
Gran Hall
Patricia Hanaway
Sue Hannan
Mike Harkin
Tim Harper
Melinda Harris
Ric Hasson
Cindy Hendrickson
Karen Henke and Jon Boynton
Mike Hill
JoAnn Hodges
Bill Hoefler
Norma and C. R. Holland
John Honegger & Luther Bernstein
Loretta Horvath
Chad Hudson
Cole and Mackenzie Hundley (3)
Harry Hunt
Ernie and Doug Ingles
Jeffrey Ingram (4)
Joe Innamorato
JBL Trinity (11)
Mike Jacques
Pat Jacques
Bette Jennings
Bill Johnson
Brent Johnson
Chris Johnson
Neolia Johnson
Ron Johnson
Robert Jordan (2)
Gary, Karen, Kimberly, Terri, Ben
& Bobbie
Brittany Kehrner

Gladys Kelly
William Kelly
Kraig Kerwin
Marty Ketola
Randy Kimmy
C.J. King
S.P. King
Charles and Theresa Kirchner
George Kolibaba
Grace Kwiett
Doug Laing
Lionel Lamay
Leo J. LaMay Ph.D.
Frances Lanham
Landmark Bank (2)
Gene Lannery
Bradley Leonard
Dave Leonard
Debbie Leonard (2)
Don Levensaler
Debbie Lewis
Ron Liette's Grandkids (2)
Nellie Lillie (2)
Lee Ann Lindahl
Jim Link
Judith Link (2)
Kelly Little
Susan Loos
Humberto Lopez
C. W. Lowe (2)
Diane Ludwig
Austin Lyddy III
Betty Lynn
Ken Lynn
Michael Lynn
Mills Lynn
Magic Elm Skateland Inc.
Magic Glo Inc
Louis Maglinto
Susan Maiolo
Kim and Mark Majoros
Ron Martin
Rose Martin (2)
Marysville Skating Club
Chad Matejec
John Matejec
Scott Matejec
Dan McCarty
Dianne McChesney
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McDonough Gang
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Chris McMahan
Jim and Sharon McMahan (2)
Lisa McMahan, Ralph & Ely
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Midwest Skate Company (2)
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Linda Miner (2)
Ron Miner (2)
Shawn Miner
Tanner Miner
Kelli Mirelli
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Tim Mitchell
Bill Moores
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Beverly Morelius
Marie Mullins
John Muse
Elwood Nauss
J. Nashed, C. Clark, Ron G., F.
Minnelle, G. Carlson (2)
Irene Nazzaro
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Joseph Nazzaro III
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Lorranine Neill
Nancie Nemanich
Mildred Neschke
Northland Roller Rink
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Frank Nugent
Tom Obert (4)
Kathleen Oliver
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Ray Oliver
Roger Olsen
On Ramp Skate Shop
Scott Ottaway
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Anne Pals
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K. Pattison
Larry and Janet Pattison (2)
Greg and Denis Pearson
Daphne Peel
George Peel
Andrew Perkins
Don Perkins
Lillie Perkins
Gary Phillips
Janie Phillips
Dennis Pickard (2)
George Pickard (4)

Suzanne Pickard (2)
 Dolores Pillow
 Nadine Pokorny Meis
 Karen Powell Greer
 Gina and Dean Prozzillo
 Pat and Doris Prozzillo
 Hal Pullum
 Al and Vicki Pursley
 Teresa Purvis
 George Pyche
 Verna Quaranto
 Frank Quintin
 Ray Quitter
 David and Jacob Ramsey (2)
 Glenn Ramsey (2)
 RC Sports Inc.
 Chris Ray
 Ranny Ray
 Tina Reese
 Ted and Sue Rendfrey
 Todd Rendfrey (2)
 Victor Riccoborio
 Martin Roberts
 Rollhaven Employees (2)
 Rollerdrome
 Roller Graphics (2)
 Roller Property Mgt Inc (4)
 Rolling Wheels Inc
 Lane Ross
 Gerald Roth
 Round-A-Bout Skating Centers
 Arlene Rowland
 RSA Chapter 12 (10)
 RSA Office staff (2)
 RSA Section # 3
 RSA Section # 4 (10)
 RSA Section # 5 (4)
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 Douglas Saint
 John Savickas
 Dave Schafer (2)
 Colleen Schmerheim
 Robert Schmid
 William Schneider
 Troy Schnelle

Charles Schroer
 Madison Scott
 Barbara Shores (2)
 Jerry Shores (3)
 Vicki Singer
 Skate Country
 Skateland Fun Center
 Skateland Inc (2)
 Joseph Smith
 Spinning Wheels Roller Rink
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 Ernie St. Germain
 Ernie St Germain & Deanna
 Rodricues
 Al Strunk
 Sue Sullivan
 Christine Swain
 Vern Tappen
 Floyd Terry
 Vickie Tharp
 Beverly Thibodeaux
 Frank and Beverly Thibodeaux
 Ray Thompson
 Deb Torries
 Frank Torries
 Ed Trevena
 Bo Trotter
 Evelyn Trotter
 James Turner
 Victor Urban
 Pete Van Ornum (3)
 M.C. Van Roekel (10)
 Beverly VanHorn
 Joseph Wagner
 Abby Wahlig
 Alex Wahlig
 Charles Wahlig (2)
 Connie Wahlig
 Tammy Wainwright & Kara
 Chenowith
 Harry Walker
 Jack Walker
 James Walker
 Lori Walker
 Lyle Walker
 Kim Wall
 Kurt Wall
 Marjorie Wall (2)
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 Margaret Walton
 Shannon Ward
 Becky Warner
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 Laura Wichert
 Harold and Merna Wieselthien (2)
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The museum would like to make two corrections to the May/June issue of the Overview. Museum members Jim and Millie Ferris and Floyd Terry were incorreccted listed as Individual/Family members. Their correct listings are: Benefactor level, Jim and Millie Ferris and Associate Patron level, Floyd A. Terry.

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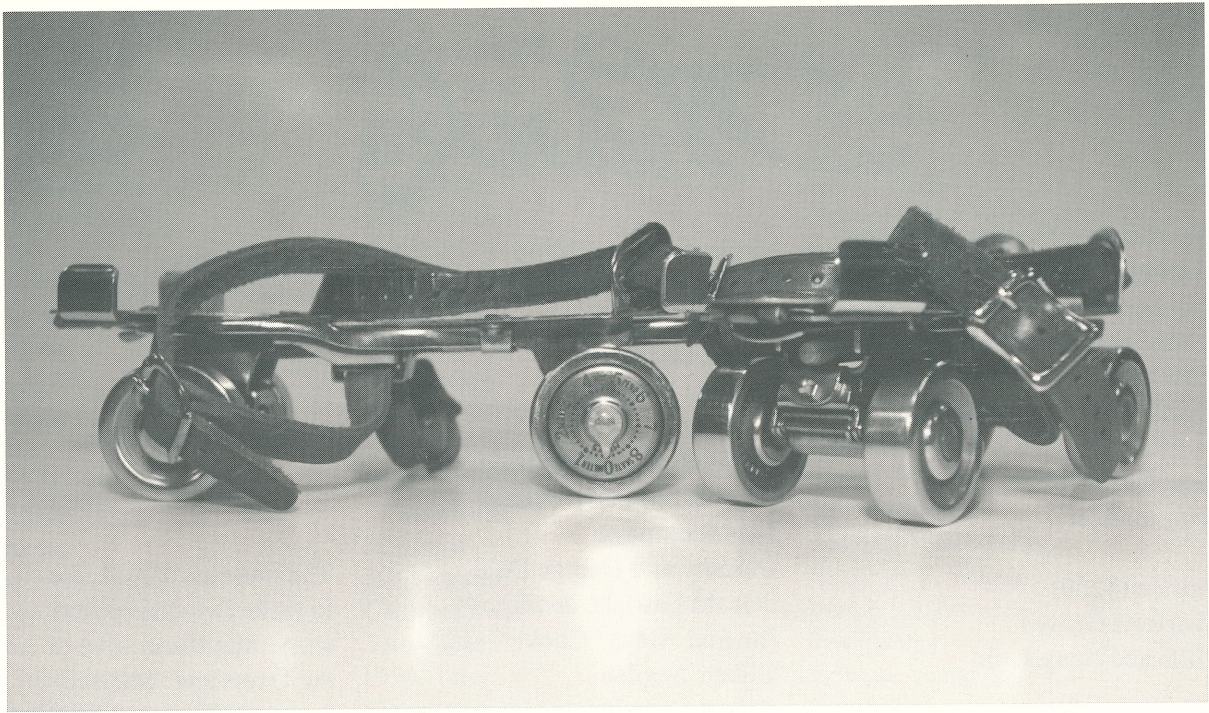
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